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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please delete claim 19.

Please amend claims 3, 4-13, and 15 as follows:

3. (Amended) The antibody according to claim 1 [or claim 2], wherein the protein sequence recognized by the antibody is

-Cys-Ile-Thr-Gln-Tyr-Glu-Arg-Glu-Ser-Gln-Ala-Tyr-Tyr-

or a part thereof.

4. (Amended) The antibody according to claim 1 [any of the preceding claims], which is a polyclonal or a monoclonal antibody or a fragment thereof.